



## DANGEROUS GOODS GUIDELINES FOR PASSENGERS

**Remember - if you illegally take dangerous goods on the aircraft, even inadvertently, you may be liable to prosecution and severe penalties apply.**

### **THE FOLLOWING DANGEROUS GOODS MUST NOT BE TAKEN ON BOARD THE AIRCRAFT.**

You must not, under any circumstances, take the following items on a Polar Aviation aircraft:

- **Explosives:** fireworks, flares, toy gun caps.
- **Compressed Gases:** gas cylinders, aerosols (other than medicines and toiletries for personal use).
- **Flammable Substances:** lighter fuel, paints, thinners, firelighters, cigarette lighters containing unabsorbed lighter fuel.
- **Oxidizers:** some bleaching powders, acids and chemicals.
- **Organic Peroxides:** hair or textile dyes, fibreglass repair kits, certain adhesives.
- **Toxic Substances:** arsenic, cyanide, weed killers.
- **Irritating Materials:** tear gas devices such as mace, pepper sprays.
- **Infectious Substances:** biological products and/or diagnostic specimens containing pathogens.
- **Radioactive Materials:** medical or research samples, which contain radioactive sources.
- **Corrosives:** acids, alkalis, wet cell batteries, caustic soda and mercury.
- **Magnetised Materials:** magnetrons, instruments containing strong magnets.
- **Security-type attaché cases,** cash bags or cash boxes that contain lithium batteries and/or pyrotechnic material.
- **Mechanical Engines:** chainsaws, lawnmowers, brush cutters and the like.



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### THE FOLLOWING DANGEROUS GOODS MAY BE TAKEN IN LIMITED QUANTITIES.

If you intend to carry any of the dangerous goods listed below, please inform the pilot in command of the aircraft before flight:

- **Alcoholic Beverages:** Maximum of 5 litres in total is permitted in retail packaging. The maximum permitted per single package is 5 litres in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. **Consumption of alcohol on board the aircraft is not permitted.**
- **Toiletry and Medicinal Articles:** including aerosols such as hair sprays, deodorants and perfumes for personal use. Each container cannot contain more than 0.5 litre or 0.5 kilogram. In total you are not permitted to take more than 2 litres or 2 kilograms. Release valves on aerosols must be protected by a cap or other suitable means to prevent inadvertent release of the contents. These items may be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. The Pilot in Command must be informed that you are carrying these items. Aerosols Containing Non-Toxic or Non-Flammable Gas: Aerosols in Division 2.2 for sporting or home use are permitted in checked baggage only.
- **Medicinal Oxygen Cylinders:** You must contact Polar Aviation for specific details regarding carriage of these items. Liquid oxygen systems are not permitted. You must present any oxygen cylinders at check-in for inspection.
- **Safety Matches and Lighters:** One small compressed gas lighter or one box of safety matches or one liquid fuel lighter (where the flammable liquid is fully absorbed) is permitted. These can only be taken onboard an aircraft if carried on one's person. These items must not be packed in checked baggage or carry-on luggage.
- **Dry Ice:** With the approval of Polar Aviation, each passenger is permitted to take up to 2.5 kilograms of dry ice if used to pack perishables only. You must not combine the packages. Dry ice may be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with dry ice.
- **Small Mercury Thermometers:** One thermometer per passenger may be carried for personal use when in a protective case. Only 1 per Passenger is permitted. These items may be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage.
- **Mercury Barometer or Thermometer:** Only a representative of a government weather bureau or similar agency may carry these items. These items are only permitted as carry-on baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with these items.
- **Wheelchairs or other Battery Powered Mobility Device:** You must contact Polar Aviation for specific details regarding carriage of these items. Wheelchairs and other Battery Powered Mobility Devices with Spillable Batteries are not permitted on Polar Aviation Aircraft. Wheelchairs and other Battery Powered Mobility Devices may only be taken as checked baggage and must be presented at check-in for inspection.
- **Life Jackets:** One life jacket and two spare cartridges are permitted as long as the compressed cartridges contain carbon dioxide or other non-flammable gas. May be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with a life jacket and/or spare cartridges.



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- **Heat Producing Articles:** Diving torches and other heat producing articles are permitted. They must be disabled so they cannot be inadvertently switched on. If removing a battery from the heat producing article, the battery terminals must be protected from short circuiting by the application of electrical tape or similar means. These items may only be taken as carry on baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with these items.
- **Insulated Packages Containing Refrigerated Liquid Nitrogen:** Also referred to as 'Dry Shippers'. These packages can only be used if the liquid nitrogen is fully absorbed and there is the capacity for build up of pressure to be released. Only non-dangerous goods can be transported in the 'dry shipper'. These packages may be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with a package that contains refrigerated liquid nitrogen.
- **Weapons (guns, knives etc):** are only permitted as checked baggage and special packaging and storage conditions apply. If travelling internationally with these items, certain customs requirements may apply. You must contact Polar Aviation for specific details. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with these items.
- **Ammunition for Sporting Purposes (cartridges for weapons):** You are permitted to take quantities of ammunition, provided the total does not exceed 5 kg in weight. You are not permitted to combine more than the amount permitted for one person. If travelling internationally with these items, certain customs requirements may apply. Ammunition that has an explosive or incendiary function is not permitted. You must contact Polar Aviation for specific details. These items may only be taken as checked baggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with ammunition.
- **Consumer Electronic Devices Containing Lithium, Lithium Ion Cells, Fuel Cell Systems or Batteries:** Devices such as laptops, watches, video recorders and cellular phones are permitted. Not more than two spare batteries or fuel cell systems are permitted as long as they are protected from short circuiting by the application of electrical tape or similar means. May be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage. Spare Fuel Cells are only permitted in carry-on luggage. You must tell the Pilot in Command that you are travelling with these items.
- **Camping Stoves and Fuel Containers that have contained a Flammable Liquid:** These items may be permitted, subject to strict adherence to specific cleaning standards. Please contact Polar Aviation for details on cleaning requirements. These items may only be taken as checked baggage. You must present these items at check in for inspection.
- **Hair Curlers Containing Hydrocarbon Devices:** One is permitted as long as the safety protective cover is on. Spare cartridges are not permitted. Curlers may be taken in either the aircraft cabin or as checked baggage.

If you have any questions or require further information in relation to dangerous goods, please contact **0419 955 210 or 0408 928 626.**